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SOLE AGENTS:
Mitsui Bussan Kaisha,
Hongkong, January 3, 1912.

LATE HOME NEWS.

April has been favouring us with delightful weather, says a Home paper, the whole country baking in sunshine. The anniversary of the Patron Saint of England was duly celebrated. The rose was in evidence, while the Red Cross of St. George flew from many churches and public buildings. A dinner was held at the Hotel Cecil. The anniversary of Shakespeare's birthday was celebrated at Stratford-on-Avon on 23rd inst., and a memorial service was held in Southwark Cathedral. Primrose Day was observed on 10th inst., when Lord Beaconsfield's statue in Parliament-square and his grave at Highgate Church was decorated with his favorite flower. A report just issued shows that there were 92 trade disputes in 1911, the greatest number on record. In 57 cases work was stopped for a time, nearly 565,000 workpeople being affected. The strength of the Territorial Force on April 1 was 9,382 officers and 269,173 non-commissioned officers and men, the latter figure being within 12 of the highest hitherto reached. Garden towns and villages are multiplying in this country, and the first road of the Knebworth garden village on Lord Lytton's estate was cut on 20th inst. The Irish Sea has been crossed for the first time by an aeroplane, Mr. Corbett Wilson having flown in an hour and 20 minutes from Finsbury to Enniscorthy. Another Irishman, who left Hendon at the same time, and who from Holyhead headed for Dublin, has disappeared, and has apparently met with disaster. The Army dirigible Gamma made a flight on 22nd inst. from Farnborough around St. Paul's Cathedral and back.

MATTER OF COMMON INTEREST
HOW to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Obermair & Co., Ltd. Kennedy has won its grand competition for the best remedy by its grand new product, "Obermair's Cough Remedy." It can always be had upon the counter of all chemists.

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STERILIZED NATURAL MILK.
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JOINT SERVICE OF
THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.
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HONGKONG-CANTON LINE.
HONGKONG TO CANTON. CANTON TO HONGKONG.
SATURDAY, 25th MAY.
8.00 A.M. 'HONAM'. 8.00 A.M. 'HEUNGSHAN'.
10.00 P.M. 'HEUNGSHAN'. 5.00 P.M. 'KINSHAN'.
SUNDAY, 26th MAY.
10.00 P.M. 'PATSHAN'. 4.00 P.M. 'HEUNGSHAN'.

HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.
S.S. 'SUI TAI' Tons 1851. S.S. 'SUI AN' Tons 1851.
HONGKONG TO MACAO.
Week days at 8 A.M. & 2 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf,
Sunday, at 9 A.M. & 12.30 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.
MACAO TO HONGKONG.
Week days at 8.30 A.M. and 2 P.M. Sundays, at 7.30 A.M. and 5 P.M.

EXCURSION TO MACAO.
SUNDAY, 26th MAY.

The Company's Steamship 'SUI AN',
will depart from the Company's WING LOK STREET WHARF at 9 A.M.
Departure from Macao at 5 P.M.
N.B. The Company will also run a steamer from Macao on Sunday leaving at
7.30 A.M. and from Hongkong at 12.30 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street
Wharf. This Steamer connects with the excursion steamer returning from Macao at 5 P.M.

FARES AS USUAL.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Company.

CANTON-MACAO LINE.
S.S. 'HOI-SANG' 457 Tons.
Departures from Macao to Canton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 P.M.
Departures from Canton to Macao on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.30 P.M.

JOINT SERVICE OF
HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION
COMPANY, LTD., AND THE Indo-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

CANTON-WUCHOW LINE.
S.S. 'SAINAM', 688 Tons, and S.S. 'NANNING', 565 Tons.

One of the above steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at about 8 A.M., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 A.M. Round trips take about 5 days. Passengers can return to Hongkong or vice versa by the Company's direct steamers 'LINTAN' and 'SANTU'. These vessels have superior cabin accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. Electric fan in each cabin.

Booking Office open daily (Sunday excepted) 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the
HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.
HOTEL MANSIONS (First Floor),
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SINGON & CO.

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OPEN DAILY - OPEN DAILY

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Hongkong, May 1, 1912.

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and ALL RESIDENTS are requested to send in full

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TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

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For FREE Insertion.

Hongkong, February 12, 1912.

H. A. MASSEY,
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1141

Hongkong, October 8, 1911.

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Specialists to the Manufacture of RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK of every description.

Pioneers in the design and manufacture of

FRERESSED STEEL UNDERFRAMES AND BOGIES AND ALL-STEEL

RAILWAY WAGGONS.

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The Taikoo Dockyard and Engineering

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AGENTS, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, October 8, 1911.

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THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

THOROUGHLY UP TO DATE WITH EVERY MODERN LUXURY

A LA CARTE GRILL ROOM

J. H. TAGGART, Manager.

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PEAK HOTEL.

ADMIRABLY SITUATED AT VICTORIA GAP.

Adjoining the Tramway Terminus, 1,400 feet above Sea Level.

Wind-shielded and protected from the North-east Winds in

Winter. Commanding a magnificent view of Hongkong, the harbour and adjacent

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Terms - From \$5 per day Max. Telegraph Add: "Peaceful."

Town Office. 4, D's Vortex Road.

Hongkong, February 8, 1908.

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A FIRST-CLASS AND UP-TO-DATE HOTEL.

ENTIRELY under European management. Situated in the most central position.

Large and airy rooms, luxuriously furnished, Electric Light and Fans throughout.

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Ladies' Attic Room. Special rates for married families on application to the Manager.

CHARGES MODERATE

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Hongkong, November 10, 1909.

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(LATE CONNAUGHT HOTEL)

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

CENTRALLY situated, up-to-date Hotel. Recently renovated and modernised entirely

New Management. Large and comfortable rooms. Kitchenette Cuisine under the

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PARTICULARS AND RATES on application to PROPRIETORS.

Hongkong, September 4, 1909.

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An Ideal Family Hotel. Where Living is a Real Pleasure.

FIRST CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT. CONVENIENTLY SITUATED. ALL MODERN COMFORT.

NOTED for its First-Class Cuisine and Perfection of Service.

Under the Personal Management of O. P. OWEN.

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SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS, PROVISION MERCHANTS, COAL
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SHIP CAPTAINS ARE REQUESTED TO GIVE US A TRIAL.

FRANCISCO TSE YAT, General Manager.

Hongkong, August 19, 1903. 1758

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ENGINEERS and SHIPBUILDERS, BOILER-MAKERS, BRASS and IRON FOUNDERS. All work done in this establishment is guaranteed. We have over thirty years' experience. We own two Slipways, and can accommodate any craft of 800 feet long.

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WONG PING WA, Manager. 456

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TAILORS AND OUTFITTERS, EXPORT AND IMPORT MERCHANTS,
HAVE JUST RECEIVED NEW SHIPMENTS OF
Drapery, Grocery, Ironmongery, Crockery, Glass and
China Ware, Furniture, Watches & Clocks.

The Cheapness and quality of their Goods have no equal
100-213, DES VOUX ROAD CENTRAL.
107 & 108, CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL (Trans past the Door).
Telephone 189.

Hongkong, August 16, 1912. 772

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AVENARIUS CARBOLINEUM
THE BEST
WOOD PRESERVATIVE.

30 YEARS' SUCCESS
THE ONLY EFFECTIVE AND
LASTING PROTECTION
AGAINST
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The Physician's
Cure for Gout,
Rheumatic Gout
and Gravel.
Safest and most
Effective Aperient
for Regular Use.
The Universal Remedy for Acidity of the Stomach, Headache,
Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations, Bilious Affections.

ENO'S 'FRUIT SALT'
A HOUSEHOLD REMEDY FOR

All Functional Derangements of the Liver,
Temporary Congestion arising from Alcoholic Beverages, Errors in Diet, (Eating or Drinking) Biliousness, Sick Headache,
Giddiness, Oppression or Feeling of Malaise,
Vomiting, Heartburn, Spasms of the Stomach, or Constipation. It is a
Refreshing and Invigorating Beverage,
now Invaluable to Travellers, Emigrants,
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"Fruit Salt" relieves the Functions of the Liver, Revives Skin and
Nerves by Replenishing them with the Blood, free from poisons or other
noxious elements. It is the best Remedy for all Diseases of the Liver, and
there is no doubt that where it has been taken in the earliest
stages of a disease, it has so harmonized the functions, prevented a serious illness.

CAUTION: Contains Calomel and Sulphur. It is a powerful Laxative.

Prepared only by J. C. ENO, LTD., 107, DES VOUX ROAD, CENTRAL.

It is the only genuine article.

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COALS.

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Tel. ADDRESS for above: "IWASAKI"
Code:- 41, ABC 5th Ed., Western Union.

AGENCIES:

YOKOHAMA: M. Asada, Esq.

CHINKIANG: Messrs Gearing &
Co.

MANILA: Messrs Macdonray &
Co.

SINGAPORE: Messrs Borneo Co
Ltd.

For particulars, apply to

Y. SHIBUYA,
Moyses,
No. 2, FABRE STREET,
HONGKONG. 616

**THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY,
LIMITED.**

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE NINTH ORDINARY YEARLY
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS
of the above Company will be held at the
Company's Office, St. George's Building,
at 12.30 p.m., on TUESDAY, the 28th
May, 1912, to receive a Statement of
Accounts to the 31st December, 1911, and
the Report of the General Manager and
Consulting Committee and to elect a Con-
sulting Committee and Auditor.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 14th May
to the 28th May, both days inclusive.

THE CHINA-BORNEO Co., Inc.

W. G. DARBY,
General Manager,
Hongkong, May 10, 1912. 648

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL
ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of
the Company (since its registration) will be
held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, Hong-
kong, on SATURDAY, the 1st day of
June, 1912, at 12.15 p.m., for the purpose of
receiving the Report of the General Manager
together with a Statement of Accounts
to the 31st December, 1911.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the
Company will be CLOSED THURSDAY,
the 25th May to SATURDAY,
the 1st June, both days inclusive,
during which period no transfer of Shares
can be registered.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.

Hongkong, May 23, 1912. 706

NOTICE.

MAN HING CHEUNG & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS & EXPORTERS
OF HIGH-CLASS
RATTAN & SEAGRASS FURNITURE,
BAMBOO BLINDS, MATTING, &c., &c.

TO inform their Customers and the
General Public that they have now
MOVED to No. 16, QUOCK'S ROAD
CENTRAL, where they have a large Stock of
Chairs, &c., &c.

PRICES REASONABLE,
Inspection Cordially Invited.
Orders Promptly Executed.
Hongkong, May 19, 1912. 684

NOTICE.

We beg to announce to the Public that
we have at present the Centre part
of a block of VALUABLE GREEN
JADESTONE of the most famous and
popular LO HANG (老行) quality
very transparent and of first water. It
is about 70 lbs. of which 9 lbs. are bright
chrysoprase and contains numerous
valuable ornaments. Its total value is
estimated to be at \$100,000 odd. Visitors
are welcomed to make inspection.

PO WO CHONG,
No. 281, Tel. St. Street,
(Great New Street),
CANTON.

Cancon, April 30, 1912. 599

NOTICE.

LESSONS IN CHINESE.

M. L. H. HOM, a Chinese graduate
versed in literature, has been a teacher
to European officials and merchants in this
Colony for over ten years.

He is a good method of training Chinese
persons to speak in the Chinese language, and
is possessed of a first-rate certificate as a
Chinese teacher. He has a good knowledge
of Mandarin and Hakka.

Those who intend learning the Chinese
language are welcome to take one of
his classes.

Address: 10, DES VOUX ROAD, CENTRAL.

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It is the only genuine article.

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Hughes and Hough
AUCTIONEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT.

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AND
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"TO-KWA-WAN"
COAL STORAGE.

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"MEURION" HONGKONG.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction
FOR ACCOUNT OF THOSE CONCERNED.

SATURDAY,
the 25th May, 1912, at the RACE COURSE,
after the finish of the Gymkhana
Meeting.—

The Well-known Racing Ponies
FANLING, BIRLINGHAM
AUCHENDON
together with other Ponies.

TERMS:—As usual.
HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, May 20, 1912.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on

SATURDAY,

the 25th May, 1912, commencing at 12 o'clock (Noon), at his Sales Rooms,

DUDDELL STREET,—

50 cases John Bent's Whisky,

20 " Scotch Whisky,

15 " Wreaken Beer,

25 " Tennants Ale,

&c., &c., &c.

On View now.

TERMS:—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 21, 1912.

694

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the OFFICIAL RECEIVER to sell by Public Auction

on

TUESDAY,

the 28th May, 1912, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms,

DUDDELL STREET,—

A LARGE QUANTITY OF

VALUABLE JEWELLERY.

Comprising:—

Diamond, Ruby and Sapphire Rings,

Jade and Gold Chain Gold Bracelets, Old

Gold Coins, etc., etc., etc.

On View from Tuesday, the 23rd May.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—As usual.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 21, 1912.

693

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from J. H. de Bruyn, Esq., Consul General for the Netherlands, to sell by Public Auction

on

WEDNESDAY,

the 29th May, 1912, commencing at 2.15 p.m., at his residence DARTHOOR 11, CONDUIT ROAD,—

THE WHOLE OF HIS

VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD

FURNITURE,

&c., &c., &c.

THIRTY, CONTAINED,

As follows:—Hall and Drawing Room

Furniture, Blackwood Ware, etc., TEAK-

WOOD DINING ROOM SUITE NEW,

Electro plated, Glass and Crockery Ware,

INCLUDING A COMPLETE SET OF CRY-

STAL Bed Room Suite, Brass-mounted,

Bedsteads, Bed Linens, etc., One Upholstered

Luther-covered Suite suitable for Library

or Smoking Room, Pantry, Kitchen and

Bath Room Utensils.

Electric Fans, Lamps, etc.

1 Thread Singer Sewing Machine (prac-

tically new).

Plants in Pots.

Tennis Poles and Net, and 3 Carrying

Chairs.

Catalogues will be issued.

On view day before sale.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioners.

Hongkong, May 11, 1912.

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JAPANESE MAKERS.

EVERY KIND

OF

Footwear

MADE

TO

ORDER

CHERRY & CO.,
PEDDER STREET,
Opposite Hongkong Hotel,
Hongkong, May 5, 1910.

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GEO. P. LAMMERT AUCTIONEER

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on

SATURDAY,

the 26th May, 1912, commencing at 11 a.m., at his Sales Room,

DUDDELL STREET,—

A LARGE QUANTITY OF

MANILA CIGARS

(about 2400 boxes).

On View from Friday, the 25th May,

1912.

TERMS:—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 21, 1912.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

of

WINES AND SPIRITS, ETC., ETC.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on

SATURDAY,

the 25th May, 1912, commencing at 12 o'clock (Noon), at his Sales Rooms,

DUDDELL STREET,—

60 cases John Bent's Whisky,

20 " Scotch Whisky,

15 " Wreaken Beer,

25 " Tennants Ale,

&c., &c., &c.

On View now.

TERMS:—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 21, 1912.

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Comprising:—

Diamond, Ruby and Sapphire Rings,

Jade and Gold Chain Gold Bracelets, Old

Gold Coins, etc., etc., etc.

On View from Tuesday, the 23rd May.

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JUST UNPACKED.

Assorted French Vegetables.
German & American Asparagus.
Herrings in Tomato Sauce.
German Sausages.
Herrings Marinated.
Boneless Sardines in Oil, etc., etc.

FRENCH STORE.

6, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

Honkong, April 19, 1912.

THE ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Hospital—
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd. \$100

Dairy Farm Co., Ltd. 100

Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd. 25

Ridder and Co. 20

Wendt and Co. 20

E. B. Cubey 15

A. G. Gordon 10

Kelly and Walsh, Ltd. 10

B. Leyton 10

N. Moday and Co. 10

Norcross and Co. 10

W. L. Patterson 10

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S. Moutier and Co., Ltd. 10

W. Pringle, Jr. 10

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HASKELL.—At "Fairview," Robinson Road, on the 23rd May, 1912, to Mr and Mrs E. D. Haskell, a daughter.

MEMO FOR TO-MORROW.

12.30 p.m.—Star Ferry Co.'s Meeting.
3 p.m.—Second Gymkhana Meeting at Race Course, Happy Valley.

Auction of Race Ponies at the Race Course, Happy Valley.

General Memoranda.

SUNDAY, May 26.—

Queen Mary's birthday (1867).
9 a.m.—Excursion to Macao.

MONDAY, May 27.—

Whit Monday.
General Holiday.
Boys' Own Club Sports.

TUESDAY, May 28.—

12.30 p.m.—China-Borneo Co. Meeting.

WEDNESDAY, May 29.—

Examination of Army Officers for promotion.

THURSDAY, May 30.—

Decoration Day (U.S.A.)

FRIDAY, May 31.—

7.30 a.m.—Full Moon.
Noon—Wacking Ltd. Annual Meeting.

SATURDAY, June 1.—

12.15 p.m.—A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd.'s Annual General Meeting.

MONDAY, June 2.—

King's Birthday (1865).
General Holiday.
Parade of Troop on Cricket Ground.

The China Mail

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1912.

EMPIRE DAY.

To-day is Empire Day, the anniversary of the birthday of the great and good Queen Victoria, whose name shall always be revered by Britons.

On this day, however, it is not so much the thought of that important anniversary that we wish to dwell upon, as the fact that to-day Britons throughout the length and breadth of our Empire should more than on any other day throughout the year think of what the British Empire stands for to themselves and to the world. To each individual Briton a glowing thought of pride—proper pride—should be felt; to-day as he contemplates the vastness, the power, and the glory that attaches to the Empire in which he every day has his part to perform, and which his forefathers handed down. Such a heritage never before was entrusted to a people and to-day, in contemplation of the vastness and greatness of their Empire, Britons might well be pardoned for feeling elated. It does not, however, become an imperial race to swagger of their possessions, but it would be as foolish not to feel a proper pride in their great heritage. Feeling of gratitude should to-day, more than at any other time, be felt for those noble and great men of our race who did so much to make the Empire what it now is. To boast of what they achieved is alien to the national temperament for Britons find in action, not talk, their most congenial atmosphere. But on this occasion, as this is the day which has been specially set apart for contemplation of the Empire, it would be affectation not to refer with a reasonable amount of pride to the glorious epoch that has fallen to the lot of

every Briton. The map of the world is eloquent of the achievements of the British; it tells a tale which stirs the blood and fires the imagination, causing all Britons to realise the glory of their Empire and to hope that in the performance of his own little part, no matter how humble it may be, that he will bear in mind that he is a descendant of no mean-spirited ancestors in whose steps it were sacrilegious not to attempt to follow or, at least, never to do anything that will mar in the slightest the great heritage that is his in being a Briton. Now perhaps more than at any other period in the history of our Empire is it necessary to keep in mind what the Empire stands for in the eyes of all Britons. What it has cost in blood, in treasure, in the loss of innumerable, noble lives can never be adequately realised, but it comes within the scope of everyone's mental vision to know that the British Empire to-day is the greatest, the most powerful, and the grandest that the world has ever known. And Britons should realise that the maintenance of such a heritage calls for much the same qualities as those that realised it, namely, serious thought, self-sacrifice, a proper pride in ourselves and in the future of our Empire that inspired those whose names are imperishably linked with the making of the Empire as we know it to-day—such names as that of Nelson, Wellington, Clive, Hastings, Havelock, Cook, Wolfe, all of whom helped to weld together our Empire Overseas, and the innumerable statesmen and thinkers who have guided the course of our Imperial destiny which call there on posterity.

The annual Chinese exodus to Man- ruiti took place to-day when the N.D.L. steamer "Pakiat," Capt. Wenzel, left with over 800 immigrants for that distant spot of Empire. This is practically the only direct steamer during the year, so "John" avails himself of the opportunity as being cheaper and more satisfactory than the via India and the East Coast of Africa boats, which call there on posterity.

It is stated that the financial arrangements for the proposed Peking tramway have apparently been completed. A sum of £15,000,000 has been subscribed by Japanese and £2,000,000 by Chinese. The balance, which will probably start on the Harbin run next week.

Messrs Jeboe and Co. have just added to their fleet in Hongkong a fine steamer of the same handy class as are most of their predecessors. The "Katie," the name of the new vessel, will probably start on the Harbin run next week.

The young folk of Hongkong, as of other places, the world over, will have occasion to remember Empire Day.

They were early astir this morning when, fortunately, the weather was beautifully fine, and assembled at the various schools to which they belong; prior to proceeding to St. John's Cathedral and the Roman Catholic Cathedral.

They afforded an extremely pretty sight, being attired in light and various colour-

ed costumes. The scene in either of the Cathedrals was most impressive. Each

was crowded to its utmost capacity.

In the Roman Catholic Cathedral especially

one could not have failed to have ob-

served the various nationalities of chil-

dren who joined with their British sub-

jects in remembrance of the blessed reign

of Queen Victoria.

Beyond the provision of festivities to

the children there not much to be ob-

served in celebration of Empire Day.

The Union Jack was, of course, more in

evidence than usual, while some of the

ships in the harbour were dressed.

AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

THE REV. COPELEY MOYLE ON EMPIRE'S RESPONSIBILITIES.

There was a very large congregation

at St. John's Cathedral service, many

adults, in addition to all the Protestant

children from the Government schools,

being present. Among those who at-

tended was H.E. the Hon. Mr. Claud

Severn, who was attended by Captain

Agg as A.D.C., the Chief Justice, the

Hon. Mr. W. Ross Davies, K.C., Mr.

J. R. Wood, Director of Education, and

Dr. W. F. Clark, Medical Officer of

Health. About thirty Boy Scouts under

the command of Capt. the Rev. H. O.

Spink marched to the Cathedral with

their bugle-band. The singing was of a

very hearty character. Hymns with

special reference to the day were chosen,

and the musical portion of the service

by kind permission of Lieut.-Colonel L. A. H. Hamilton, P.S.C., was played

by the band of the K.O.Y.I.L. The Rev.

C. H. Hickling, pastor of the Union

Church, read the first lesson, the service

was intoned by the Rev. Foster Ferg,

and the newly-appointed chaplain, Capt. V. H. Copeley Moyle, gave an ad-

dress upon the meaning and responsibil-

ities of Empire.

THE ADDRESS.

The Chaplain, in his address, said they

had come together because it was what

they styled Empire Day, and there were

two thoughts which filled their minds

concerning it. The first was the great-

ness of the Empire, and the second the

responsibility which that Empire brought

with it. They had to realise that the

Empire to which they belonged was the

greatest the world had ever seen, and

that it differed from all others that the

world had known in that it seemed to

have arisen without any definite planning

to it by any great mind. When they

read history of the Bible and read of

the great Kingdoms and Empires of old,

they would find they arose from a mas-

ter of commanding power and ability who

set out to increase his Kingdom and

build for himself an Empire. It was

not to go with Nebuchadnezzar. Or they turned

to study the Empire of Greece and would

find it was due to one man, Alexander the Great; and they knew where he died his Empire passed away. Or they looked

at the great Roman Empire and they

saw that though it was not created by

one man, the Romans set themselves to

rule the whole civilised world so far as

they could. When they came down to

modern times and read of the great

Empire built up in a very few years by

Napoleon, they saw it was his purpose

to rule as much of the world as he could.

He set out with that purpose in mind,

and I achieved it for a time. In the case

of the British Empire they could not put

their finger on any special time and say

that was its beginning. In the year

1588 when Queen Elizabeth ascended the

throne they would find there

was not a single spot of ground belong-

ing to England outside the British Isles.

But gradually after that time they found

their Empire had been built up in var-

ious ways by various people all over the

world, and that it was built up, often

without the desire of the people

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1912.

THE CHINA MAIL.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[COPRIGHT.]

A WINDFALL FOR AUSTRALIA'S POOR

A MILLION STERLING BEQUEATHED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

A telegram from Reuter's correspondent at Sydney states that the widow of Russell Hall has bequeathed a million sterling, the income of which is to be devoted to the relief of poverty in Australia and for the advancement of education and religion according to the tenets of the Church of England.

SERIOUS SITUATION AT FEZ.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

Reports from Fez state that the situation is becoming worse, and that an attack on the city is momentarily expected.

The execution and the Court Martial, in connection with the recent riots, have been postponed for fear of further disorder.

THE LABOUR TROUBLES IN LONDON.

A GENERAL STRIKE ORDERED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

The lightermen virtually admit that the employment of non-Unionists is only a pretext. They affirm that the masters have variously violated existing Agreements, and the whole question of pay and hours is now being raised. The carmen and dockers refuse to handle goods, which are being forwarded inland instead of by water. The supplies of the meat and fruit in London are already considerably impeded.

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND STRIKERS.

The Federation of Transport Workers have ordered a general strike, leaving the decision to the men. A general stoppage of transport workers in London is expected. One hundred thousand may come out on strike tonight, followed, if necessary, by a National Strike.

NAVAL AND MILITARY TOURNAMENT.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

The Naval and Military Tournament was opened at Olympia this afternoon in the presence of their Majesties. There was a magnificent display.

CANADA AND IMPERIAL PREFERENTIAL TARIFF.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

A telegram from Montreal states that Mr Foster, the Minister for Commerce, has declared that Canada will soon have preferential tariff with the whole of the Empire. A start has been made with West Indies and a similar arrangement with Australia is being negotiated.

FRENCH ANARCHIST ARRESTED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

A telegram from Paris states that Gilet, the manager of the newspaper "Ardachie," has been arrested and charged with inciting to murder.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

Mr Roosevelt's victory in President Taft's own State (Ohio) has caused dismay to the "Taftites." It is variously interpreted, though there is a general feeling that Mr Roosevelt's insistence for a large reconstruction of existing conditions has appealed to the popular instinct.

It is beginning to be believed that Mr Taft will ultimately come to the front as the candidate of the Democrats, who are rather at sixes and sevens with their candidates.

BY TELEGRAPH.

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THE LARGEST VESSEL IN THE WORLD.

KAISER RECEIVES AN OVATION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

Reuter's correspondent at Hamburg telegraphs that the Kaiser received an ovation on performing the ceremony of launching the Hamburg-American liner Imperator. This vessel is of 50,000 tons, has accommodation for 5,275 people and is furnished with lifeboats for all.

"GENERAL" BOOTH'S SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

The cataract has been removed from the left eye of General Booth. The operation has been completely satisfactory.

BISLEY EMPIRE DAY RIFLE COMPETITION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

131 entries have been received in connection with the Bisley Empire Day Rifle Competition.

FRENCH MEDITERRANEAN MAN-ŒUVRES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

A Peking message says that for the purpose of weakening the power of the Governor of Shantung Province, a Bill has been passed by the Chinese Senate to the effect that the Province be divided into two administrative sections. The present Governor-General has been appointed General of Mukden.

SUDDEN DEATH OF A LONDON PUBLISHER.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

Mr George Black, the well known London publisher, dropped dead in a London hotel.

THE RISING IN CUBA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

The United States Government have ordered five hundred marines to proceed to Cuba.

RUSSIA AND MONGOLIA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

A message received in St. Petersburg from Peking states that in view of the disquieting situation at Kashgar, the Russian Minister has informed the Chinese Government that if the local authorities are unable to protect the lives and property of Russian subjects there, Russia would be compelled to take measures for their protection.

TURCO-ITALIAN WAR.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

Reuter's correspondent at Paris telegraphs that M. Ivoski, speaking at the Russian Chamber of Commerce, said that the French and the Russian Governments were making efforts to settle the Turco-Italian conflict in complete harmony with Great Britain, which was a friend of both France and Russia.

COUNT METTERNICH AND ANGLO-GERMAN RELATIONS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 23.

Count Metternich, who recently resigned the position of Ambassador to Germany at London, was entertained to a banquet by the German Colony in London. He said that he would gladly quit the position after years of work which was not always quite easy and sometimes harassing. He retired the more willingly because he would hand his successor an easier task. He proceeded—The moment is auspicious unless all the signs are deceptive. An impulse for reconciliation and peaceful neighbourliness is passing through two great peoples, the English and the Germans. Here is a fruitful field for statesmanship. It is not my place to proceed.

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SOUTHERN CHINA'S PATRIOTIC ARDOUR.

(Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)

TOKYO, May 24.

It is reported that the Financial Department of China deeply moved by the patriotic ardour of the South have decided to raise contributions from the Chinese in general.

SHANTUNG PROVINCE DIVIDED.

(Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)

TOKYO, May 24.

Lord Strachan has been appointed Paymaster-General.

NEW PAYMASTER GENERAL.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

[Note]—The new Paymaster was formerly perhaps Sir Edward Strachan. He was raised to the Peerage recently. He has occupied many important official positions.—Ed. C. M.]

WHITE STAR LINE'S DIVIDENDS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

TOKYO, May 24.

The report of the "White Star" Company states that the dividends paid in 1911 amounted to sixty cent, and the profit for the year was £1,074,752.

THE CUBAN REVOLUTION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

The Cuban revolutionaries are firing and looting sugar and coffee plantations. The Royal Guards are powerless.

FIGHTING IN MEXICO.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

Three thousand Mexican rebels advanced within fifteen miles of Mexico City, where they were defeated, and retreated after two days' battle.

REBELS DEFEATED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

The Prince of Wales descended in a submarine in company with Admiral Lapereyre.

PRINCE OF WALES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

The Chinese Recreation Club will play in a League Match with the Civil Service Club on Saturday the 25th May, at 4 p.m. at Causeway Bay. The Chinese Recreation Club will be represented by the following players:—Wei Wing Lok and Wong Po Kie, Wong Po Keung and Ng Sze Yuen, Ng Sze Kwong and Mohler.

THE PANAMA CANAL BILL.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

A telegram from Washington states that the House of Representatives adopted the Panama Canal Bill with an amendment exempting American coasting vessels from paying tolls.

POLITICAL RIOTING AT BUDA PESTH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

Reuter's correspondent at Buda Pesth telegraphs that the political turmoil in that city is becoming even fiercer. The opposition have proclaimed a general strike in favour of universal suffrage. A huge demonstration of 50,000 people held to-day came in collision with the police. Many shots were fired, shop windows and street lamps were destroyed and up to noon 2 people had been killed and 63 injured.

RIOTING CONTINUING UNABATED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

Another telegram from Buda Pesth states that rioting continues unabated. So far 4 people have been killed and 114 injured. Tram sheds have been wrecked and numerous cases of incendiarism took place after nightfall. The railwaymen threaten to strike and the stations are occupied by the military. Troops are pouring into the city.

LONDON, May 24.

A later telegram from Buda Pesth states that seven deaths have occurred red.

Fighting of the fiercest kind has taken place, and on both sides revolutionaries are being used. Troops have made bayonet charges.

Parliament is sitting. Meanwhile, the Premier has refused to suspend on account of the riots. He persisted in continuing the debate on Army Reform, though the Opposition demanded a discussion on electoral reform.

MUSCULAR RHEUMATISM.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, May 24.

Mr. W. B. Atwater, the American aviator, has made many successful flights in his biplane at Yokohama, and has delivered letters to Japanese men-of-war by dropping them as he passed over. The Japanese Naval Officers are taking great interest in the flights and one of them has been carried as a passenger.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, Watkins Building, No. 31, Queen's Road Central, on the 31st MAY, 1912, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers with a Statement of Accounts to 31 December, 1911.

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Proposed Dividends.

General Manager.

Hongkong, May 14, 1912.

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LONDON & ANTWERP	Capt. W. R. HICKIE		May, 12th
via SPOKE, PANG, CHENG, & MARESHES	BORNEO	About Freight and Passage	29th May.
PORT SAID & MARESHES			
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, SIMLA, AND YOKOHAMA	Capt. C.D. GOLENTZER, R.N.A.	About Freight and Passage	30th May.
SHANGHAI	Capt. S. HANCKE	About Freight and Passage	5th June.

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VICTORIA, B.C. & SEATLE, VIA SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, KAICHI, SHIMIZU & YOKOHAMA.	TAMBA MARU, Capt. S. Wada, Tons 7000	WEDNESDAY, 19th June, at 4 p.m.
SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, VIA MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND TOWNS, VILLE AND BRISBANE.	NIKKO MARU, Capt. Nagai, Tons 6000	FRIDAY, 7th June, at Noon.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	TANGO MARU, Capt. K. Kawara, Tons 8000	WEDNESDAY, 6th June, at 11 a.m.
SHANGHAI, MOJI AND MIKE MARU, KOBE.	MIKE MARU, Capt. Yoshikawa, Tons 4000	MONDAY, 27th May.
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WAICHING January 20th, at Noon

WAICHING January 28th, at Noon

WAICHING February 5th, at Noon

WAICHING February 13th, at Noon

WAICHING February 21st, at Noon

WAICHING February 29th, at Noon

WAICHING March 7th, at Noon

WAICHING March 15th, at Noon

WAICHING March 23rd, at Noon

WAICHING March 31st, at Noon

WAICHING April 8th, at Noon

WAICHING April 16th, at Noon

WAICHING April 24th, at Noon

WAICHING April 30th, at Noon

WAICHING May 8th, at Noon

WAICHING May 16th, at Noon

WAICHING May 24th, at Noon

WAICHING May 32nd, at Noon

WAICHING June 9th, at Noon

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POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Only fully prepaid Letters and post cards are transmissible by the SIBERIAN ROUTE to EUROPE. Letters for this route should be superscribed via SIBERIA.

The Parcel Post system to the following places in China is for the present suspended: Hupai, Hunan and Tengyueh.

Mails will Close for:-

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, TIMOR,
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA & NEW
ZEALAND.

Per *Easter*, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,
the 20th May.

JAPAN Via KOBE.

Per *Laisang*, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,
the 25th May.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Per *Loóngang*, at 1 p.m., on Saturday,
the 25th May.

MACAO.

Per *Sui Tai*, at 1.15 p.m., on Saturday,
the 25th May.

SWATOW.

Per *Choyang*, at 5 p.m., on Saturday,
the 25th May.

WEIHAIWEI & TIENSIN.

Per *Chengtung*, at 5 p.m., on Saturday,
the 25th May.

SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA.

Per *Anhui*, at 5 p.m., on Saturday,
the 25th May.

SWATOW.

Per *Haimen*, at 9 a.m., on Sunday,
the 26th May.

SWATOW, AMOY & FORMOSA.

Per *Daiyin*, at 9 a.m., on Sunday,
the 26th May.

STRAITS, CEYLON & INDIA VIA BOMBAY.

Per *Kawachi*, at 9 a.m., on Monday,
the 27th May.

STRAITS & INDIA VIA CALCUTTA.

Per *Kumlung*, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday,
the 28th May.

SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN
Via MOJI, VICTORIA & UNITED
STATES VIA TACOMA.

Per *Mexico Mori*, at 10 a.m., on Tues-
day, the 28th May.

SWATOW, AMOY FORMOSA & FO-

CHOW.

Per *Houping*, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday,
the 28th May.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Per *Tuan*, at 8 p.m., on Tuesday,
the 28th May.

BATAVIA SAMARANG & SOURA-

ABUJA.

Per *Tjink*, at 11 a.m., on Thursday,
the 30th May.

SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA.

Per *Cheow*, at 3 p.m., on Thursday,
the 30th May.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Per *Zafra*, at 3 p.m., on Thursday,
the 30th May.

SWATOW, AMOY, FORMOSA & FO-

CHOW.

Per *Hoching*, at 10 a.m., on Friday,
the 31st May.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Per *Tuwing*, at 1 p.m., on Saturday,
the 1st June.

JAPAN Via KOBE.

Per *Gathering*, at 2 p.m., on Sat-
urday, the 1st June.

SHANGHAI & NORTHEAST CHINA.

Per *Shanghai*, at 3 p.m., on Saturday,
the 1st June.

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To-day's Advertisements

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

May 23

Koon Mori, Japanese str., 2,145. H.
Muguruma, Moji May 17, Coal. — M. B. K.

May 24.

Hoover, British str., 641. A. H. Stewart,
Swatow May 22, General. — D. O. C. S.

May 25.

Steamship Co., Ltd.

May 26.

Dougherty, British str., 4,735. W. R. E.

May 27.

Hickey, Shanghai May 21, Mail and Gen-
eral. — P. & J. S. N. Co.

May 28.

Tenn, British str., 1,343. A. W. Outar-
bridge, Manila May 21, General. — Bur-
tefield & Swire.

WANTED.

EXPERIENCED (Male) Stonographer
in Mercantile Firm.

Replies

" S. N."

C/o "CHINA MAIL" Office.

Hongkong, May 24, 1912. 7107

LIST OF UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS
LYING IN THE
GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH
COMPANY'S OFFICE AT
HONGKONG.Anastasia,
Bowhangchong,
Kuecheung,
Weddi.
0006, 3883, 0088, 2490, 3141.
1781, 3468, 2050, 4537, 6198.
9852.E. V. JESSEN,
Acting Superintendent.
Hongkong Station,
May 24, 1912. 708

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-
tions to Sell by Public Auction,
FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED,
on

TUESDAY,

the 28th May, 1912, at 2.30 P.M., at their
Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vœux Road,
corner of Ics Hoas Street.

SUNDAY

VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD
FURNITURE,
etc., etc.,
andA Miscellaneous Stock, comprising one
case of Gent's Boots, one case of Neck-
Ties, Perfume Sprays, Ladies' Dress
Combs, etc., etc., and a quantity of Choice
Perfume.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, May 24, 1912. 709

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-
tions from Mr ALBERT ELLIS, to sell
by Public Auction

THURSDAY,

the 6th June, 1912, commencing at
2.45 P.M., at his residence No. 5,

MOUNTAIN VIEW, THE PEAK,—

Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.
Registration 10.15 a.m.Registration, with late fee of 10 cents
up to 11.00 a.m.)

Registration, Kowloon B.O., 9.30 a.m.

No late fee.

Letters 11 a.m.

Late Letters 11 a.m. to noon. Extra
Postage 10 cents.(Supplementary Mail on board up to the
time fixed for departure of the mail.

Extra Postage 10 cents.

(Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes
in time for the first clearance will be
included in this contract mail).

DEPARTED.

Per *Haiyan*, for Swatow, Mr L. E.Lammert, Mr E. Ikeda, Dr John; for
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